

**PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 02508.0120-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Reinhold BUCK et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1797  
**Application No.: 10/539,409** ) Examiner: Dirk R. Bass  
Filed: June 17, 2005 ) Confirmation No.: 4997  
For: PERM SELECTIVE ASYMMETRIC )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 AND PETITION FOR**  
**EXTENSION OF TIME**

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants also petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action, extending the period of response to January 27, 2011 by the accompanying fee.

**Amendments** start on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the Amendments section, and start on page 6 of this paper.